

Mount McKinley Headquarters

HABS No. AK-35 C

Administrative Building (Mount McKinley Headquarters, Ranger Dormitory)

Denali National Park & Preserve (Mount McKinley Headquarters, Building No. 21)

McKinley Station , Yukon-Koyukuk Division

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE ALASKA	COUNTY YUKON-KOYUKUK DIVISION	TOWN OR VICINITY MCKINLEY STATION
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Mount McKinley Headquarters (National Park Service Files)		HABS NO. AK-35 C
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Administration Building; Ranger Dormitory; Building #21		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) Denali National Park & Preserve		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1934-1935 (NPS Files)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) National Park Service (NPS Files)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Building materials were gathered from a stand of trees along the Nenana River along the boundary of the Park. Continuing the tradition of adaptive reuse, in 1954 this became the administrative offices.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Rustic		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Peeled logs, poured concrete, corrugated metal		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) square; 34' x 34'		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Horizontal peeled logs with saddle notching (ground floor); vertical rounded planks over frame construction (second floor); log ends sawn and battered		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Interior alterations beginning in 1954; recent replacement of multi-light windows with single pane casement windows; introduction of 3 picture windows on ground floor; wood shakes on roof; extensive interior remodeling in the 1970's.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Poor condition; administration office		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) NPS Files; See bibliography HABS AK-35		
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